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Before Administrative Judges:

G. Paul Bollwerk, III, Chairman
Dr. Paul B. Abramson
Dr. Charles N. Kelber

In the Matter of

LOUISIANA ENERGY SERVICES, L.P.

(National Enrichment Facility)

Docket No. 70-3103-ML

ASLBP No. 04-826-01-ML

August 9, 2005

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER
(Scheduling Prehearing Conference Call)

Upon consideration of the August 4, 2005 joint report of applicant Louisiana Energy Services, L.P., (LES) intervenors Nuclear Information and Resource Service and Public Citizen (NIRS/PC), and the NRC staff, regarding scheduling for the fall 2005 evidentiary hearing sessions on contested issues and the mandatory hearing on uncontested matters, the Licensing Board will conduct a prehearing conference call on Wednesday, August 10, 2005, at 3:00 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time (EDT) to discuss, among other things, scheduling for these proceedings. On or before 10:00 a.m. EDT on Wednesday, August 10, 2005, counsel for each of the participating parties¹ should contact the Board's law clerk at ble@nrc.gov or 301-415-6804 to (1) advise the Board of how many lines that party requires for the conference call; and (2) obtain the telephone number and pass code for the conference call.

¹ Although there is pending before the Board a motion to approve a settlement agreement that, if granted, would conclude their involvement in this proceeding, intervenors New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) and the Attorney General of New Mexico (AGNM) are invited to participate in this conference call.

The Board anticipates this conference call will last no more than two hours. To ensure the conference begins promptly at the scheduled time, all participants should access the conference bridge a few minutes before 3:00 p.m.

It is so ORDERED.

FOR THE ATOMIC SAFETY
AND LICENSING BOARD²

/RA/

G. Paul Bollwerk, III
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

Rockville, Maryland

August 9, 2005

² Copies of this memorandum and order were sent this date by Internet e-mail transmission to counsel for (1) applicant LES; (2) intervenors NMED, the AGNM, and NIRS/PC; and (3) the staff.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing LB MEMORANDUM AND ORDER (SCHEDULING PREHEARING CONFERENCE CALL) have been served upon the following persons by deposit in the U.S. mail, first class, or through NRC internal distribution.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland,
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